

of Prof. Frazer, it was referred to the Secretaries, with power to act; the expense to the Society not to exceed fifty dollars.

Dr. LeConte communicated a paper by Mr. Augustus Findler, comprising 24 propositions on Gravitation, being a summary of the author's unpublished work on that subject. On motion, it was referred to the Secretaries.

Pending nomination No. 733 was read.

On motion, the request of Prof Cope was granted, to withdraw from the printed Proceedings his paper on the Mammalia Educabilia. And the meeting was adjourned.

Stated Meeting, July 18th, 1873.

Present, 2 members.

, in the Chair.*

A letter accepting membership was received from M. Edm. de Selys Longchamps, dated Liège, June 24th, 1873.

Letters acknowledging the receipt of the Society's publications were received from the Leeds Literary and Philosophical Society, June 11th, 1873, (87, 89, wanting 88); the R. Cornwall P. S., September; 22d, 1872 (Proc. for 1870); S. of Antiquaries, London, June 16th, (89); R. Academy, Amsterdam, July 3d, 1872 (86); C. P. Obs., St. Petersburg, November 12th, 1872 (XIV, iii); the Society at Freiburg, March 10th, 1873 (86, 87); and the Society at Riga, November 1st, 1872 (T. VIII; Proc. XIV; 12, 3).

Letters of envoy were received from the Society at Riga, November 1st, 1872; the Entomological Society at Brussels, February 4th, 1873 (requesting exchanges); the R. Acad. Amsterdam, November 6th, 1872; R. Acad., Lisbon, March 25th, 1873; the P. and L. Society at Liverpool, April 9th; U. S. Naval Observatory, June 23d, 1873; and Mr. Richard Vaux, of Philadelphia, June 14th, 1873.

Donations for the Library were received from the Societies at Batavia, Moscow, Riga, Freiburg i B., Bremen, Görlitz, Emden, Erlangen, Liverpool, Providence, Buffalo, Savannah, St. Louis and San Francisco. From the Imp. and Royal Societies at St. Petersburg, Copenhagen, Vienna, Leipsig, Brussels, Amsterdam, Lisbon, Edinburg and Tasmania. From Dr. Von Frauenfeld, of Vienna, M. Barrande of Prag, Dr. C. G. Giebel of Berlin, M. L. Gruner of Paris, the French Geographical Society, Belgian Entomological Society, Royal Institution, British Association, R. Astronomical, Asiatic, Geographical, Chemical, Zoological and Antiquarian Societies. From London Nature, the Massachusetts Historical Society, American Academy at Boston, Yale College, Silliman's Journal, Prof. Roehrig, the Franklin Institute, College of Pharmacy, Medical Journal, American Chemist, Penn Monthly, Dr. Geo. W. Morris, Mr. Henry C. Carey, Richard Vaux, Prof. E. D. Cope, Prof. S. S. Halde- man, the Smithsonian Institution, Census Bureau, U. S. Naval Observatory, and the Peabody Institute of Balti- more.

A notification of the publication of Mr. Grote's papers, by the Buffalo Society of Natural Sciences, was received, dated July 2d, 1873.

A circular from the Zoological Society of Philadelphia, dated May 1st, 1873, with a map of the proposed gardens in the Park, was received.

And the meeting was adjourned.

Stated Meeting, August 15th, 1873.

Present, 1 member,

Mr. P. E. CHASE.